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Title of Invention:	NEW INTERFERON BETA-LIKE MOLECULES
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Application No.:	10/084,706; and

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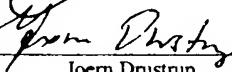
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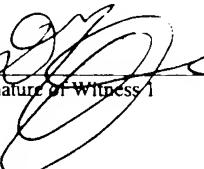

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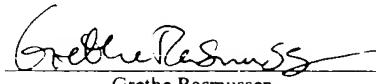

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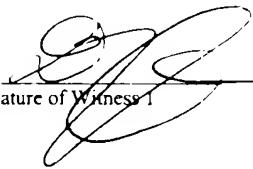

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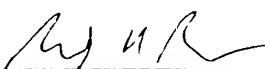
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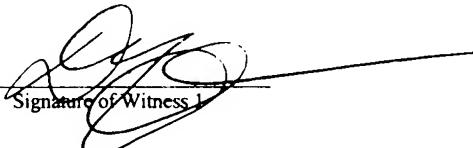
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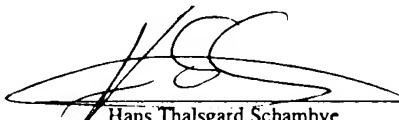

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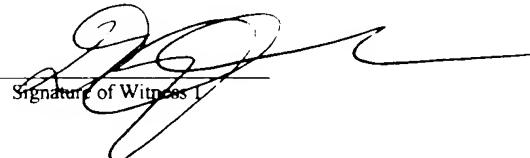

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